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FORMING APPARATUS AND IMAGE
FORMING METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

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SIR:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated July 20, 2006, and RCE being filed herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment, Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 of Satoshi Mochizuki (Mochizuki Declaration) **submitted herewith**, and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.